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E. R. PELTON & Co. have just issued a second edition, revised and enlarged, of a "Treatise and Handbook of Orange Culture in Florida," by Rev. T. W. Moore. The work is highly recommended by prominent fruit-growers in the South.

A NEW edition of W. C. Gannett's beautiful little book (beautiful inside and outside), "A Year of Miracle," will be published immediately by George H. Ellis. The first edition was altogether insufficient to meet the demand from those who wished to use the charming book for a holiday gift.

A. D. F. RANDOLPH & Co. have just issued "Swiss Letters and Alpine Poems," by the late Frances Ridley Havergal, and "Palestine Explored," a description of the customs and manners of the inhabitants of the Holy Land. They announce another volume by Miss Havergal, entitled "Specimen Glasses for the King's Minstrel."

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS issue this week the fifth volume of "Memoirs of Prince Metternich," translated by Gerhard W. Smith; "Historical Outline of the English Constitution for Beginners," by David Watson Rannie; and the fifth volume of the *Campaigns of the Civil War* series—"The Antietam and Fredericksburg," by Col. Francis W. Palfrey.

J. B. LIPPINCOTT & Co. announce that they are now the sole publishers of Bouvier's "Law Dictionary" and "Institutes," well-known standards in legal literature, and will furnish them at the same rates as formerly. They have just issued "The Law of Stock Brokers," by Messrs. Arthur and George Biddle. The treatise is valuable to persons interested in public stocks, as well as to the legal profession.

WM. WOOD & Co. have in press for speedy issue "A Study of the Tumors of the Bladder," by Alex. W. Stein, M. D.; "On the Unusual

Effects of Drugs," by Dr. Lewin, translated by W. F. Alexander, M. D.; "On Chorea and other Allied Movement Disorders of Early Life," by Octavius Sturges, M. D.; "The Pathology and Treatment of Diseases of the Ovary," by Lawson Tait, M. D.; "An Index of Surgery," by C. B. Keetley, F.R.C.S., and "Wood's Memoranda of Obstetric Practice for the use of Students and Practitioners."

A. C. ARMSTRONG & SON will issue this month a new work of foreign travel, "At Home in Fiji," by Miss C. F. Gordon Cumming, which is highly commended by the London press. They will soon publish the last work of the late Henry B. Smith, D.D., "Apologetics: A Course of Lectures," edited by Prof. Wm. S. Karr, and a series of volumes devoted to outlines on the Old and New Testaments, under the title of "The Clerical Library." The "Life of John Knox" will be added to the interesting series, *Heroes of Christianity*. It is by the Rev. Wm. T. Taylor, D.D.

HOUGHTON, MIFLIN & Co. will publish next week, with Shairp's "Aspects of Poetry," Mr. Scudder's "Noah Webster," and the Hawthorne Index, a new book in the Philosophical Library entitled "The Mind of Mencius," containing the teachings of this famous Chinese philosopher systematically arranged and classified, with comments and notes by Rev. Ernst Faber, a German scholar, and Rev. A. B. Hutchinson, of the Church Mission at Hong Kong. Two new "Modern Classic" volumes will appear at the same time, one containing Thomson's "Seasons," the other Campbell's "Pleasures of Hope" and "Favorite Poems," with Rogers's "Pleasures of Memory."

D. APPLETON & Co. issue this week the first volume of "The Elements of Economics," by Henry Dunning Macleod; pt. 1 of the third volume of Roscoe's and Schorlemmer's "Treatise on Chemistry," Adolph Strecker's "Short Text-book of Organic Chemistry," edited by Dr. Johannes Wislicenus, and translated and re-edited, with extensive additions, by W. H. Hodgkinson and A. J. Greenaway; "The Farmer's Annual Hand-book for 1882," prepared by H. P. Armsby and E. H. Jenkins; "Two Years in Oregon," by Wallis Nash; and a new edition, with numerous additions, of Sir John Lubbock's "Origin of Civilization and the Primitive Condition of Man."

SCRIBNER & WELFORD have just received "George Selwyn and his Contemporaries," edited, with memoirs and notes, by John Heneage Jesse. This work has become one of the scarcest of modern books. Though it was published no further back than 1843, copies have been of late practically unobtainable, and any one occurring at auction was sure to realize from £8 to £10. The present is an exact facsimile reprint of the original in every respect, save its superior typographical execution. The volume contains portraits on steel, from the paintings of Sir Joshua Reynolds, Gainsborough, and others. They also expect to have ready this month a new edition of Edward A. Freeman's "Historical Geography," a cheap edition of "The Biography and Typography of William Caxton," by W. Blades, and "The French Court and Society in the reign of Louis XVI., and during the first Empire," by Catherine Charlotte, Lady Jackson, author of "Old Paris," etc.

WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.

In this list, the titles in *bravies* are direct transcriptions from books actually received, according to the rule of the American Library Association; those in *nonpareil* are from the best information available, and will be repeated in *bravies* when the book is received for registry.

The abbreviations are usually self-explanatory. A colon after initial designates the most usual given name, as: A. Augustus; B. Benjamin; C. Charles; D. David; E. Edward; F. Frederic; G. George; H. Henry; I. Isaac; J. John; L. Louis; N. Nicholas; P. Peter; R. Richard; S. Samuel; T. Thomas; W. William.

Sizes are designated as follows: F. folio: over 30 centimeters high; Q. (4to: under 30 cm.); O. (8vo: 25 cm.) D. (2mo: 20 cm.); S. (16mo: 17½ cm.); T. (24mo: 15 cm.); Tt. (32mo: 12½ cm.); Fe. (48mo: 10 cm.). Sq., obli., nar., designate square, oblong, narrow books of these heights. Where figure instead of letter symbols are used, the record is from publisher's designation, and not measurement.

Imported books are marked with an asterisk; authors' and subscription books, or books published at net prices, with two asterisks; educational books published at "wholesale" prices, with a dagger.

American Poets' calendar for 1882, with quotations for every day in the year, from famous American writers. Bost., Lockwood, Brooks & Co., 1881. 50 c.

Bible, New Testament: gospel of Mark [from the Teacher's ed. of the rev. New Testament]; with marginal passages printed at length, making a commentary wholly Biblical. N. Y., I. K. Funk & Co., [1882]. 29-62 p. O. cl., 50 c.; pap., 15 c.

Bible, New Testament: the gospel according to St. Mark: being the King James version, commonly called the authorized version, and the revised version, arranged in parallel columns for comparison and reference. *Comparative ed.* Phil., American S. S. Union, 1882. 99 p. maps and il. D. pap., 6 c.; without maps, 5 c.

Brachvogel, Udo. Das Theissland und sein Dichter: Vortrag gehalten vor d. Deutschen Gesellig-Wissenschaftl. Vereine von New York, am 26. Nov., 1879. N. Y., E. Steiger & Co. 50 p. O. pap., 30 c.

A vivid description of that portion of Hungary through which the river Theiss takes its course, and of Alexander Petöfi—the Burns and Rouget de Lisle of Hungary.

Braddon, Miss M. E. [Mrs. J. Maxwell.] A great journey, [and other stories]. N. Y., J. S. Ogilvie & Co., 1882. 30 p. Q. (People's lib., no. 158.) pap., 10 c.

Bullfinch, T. Age of fable; or, beauties of mythology; new ed. and il. ed., by E. E. Hale. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1882. 472 p. 8°. cl., \$2.50.

Cheney, O. Augusta. comp. Sunday-school speaker. New ed. N. Y., Ward & Drummond, 1881. 181 p. 12°. bds., reduced to 50 c.

Collins, C.; comp. Precept and praise: a collection for the Sunday-school. N. Y., A. S. Barnes & Co., [1882]. 140 p. S. cl., 50 c.

As responsive readings and catechisms by the superintendent are found to be among the most successful methods for gaining the attention and interest of scholars in Sunday-school exercises, this little volume has been prepared; it embraces the following features: Chronological divisions of the Old Testament; Time as mentioned in the New Testament; Orders of Biblical men and sects; Jewish festivals; Christian fasts and festivals; Writers of the New Testament; Fate of the apostles; The decalogue; The beatitudes; Apostles' creed; The litany; Responses from the shorter catechism, and the Psalter.

Compton, Alfred G. Manual of logarithmic computation, with numerous examples. N. Y., J. Wiley & Sons, 1881. 10+142 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

The objects of this manual are: to furnish to students full explanations of all the difficulties usually met with in the practice of computation by logarithms; to set before them compact and orderly forms of arrangement of the computations; to provide instructors with an abundant collection of examples, progressively arranged, and covering all the points in regard to which mistakes are commonly made. The manual is the result of many years' experience in teaching, author being professor of applied mathematics in the College of the City of N. Y.

Cornelius, J. W. Sabbath-home readings: series of meditations for the Lord's day, upon vital themes of spiritual thought, experience and duty; designed for the closet, the family, or the social circle. Phil., J. B. Lippincott & Co., 1881. 12°. cl., \$1.50; gilt, \$1.75.

Craik, Mrs. Dinah Maria [formerly Miss Muloch.] A bridegroom's sin, and other tales.

N. Y., J. S. Ogilvie & Co., 1882. 28 p. Q. (People's lib., no. 160.) pap., 10 c.

Dainty lady (A), by the author of "A guiltless prodigal;" [also] A circlet of love. N. Y., J. S. Ogilvie & Co., 1882. 30 p. Q. (People's lib., no. 161.) pap., 10 c.

Daudet, Alphonse. Numa Roumestan; from the French by Virginia Champlain. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1882. 312 p. 16°. cl., \$1.

Davis, Rev. J. A. Rescue the drunkard, and other dialogues. N. Y., National Temp. Soc. and Pub. House, [1882]. 64 p. S. pap., 15 c. Contains: Rescue the drunkard; The mother's grave; The landlord's wife; Caring for the liquor-seller's victims; The drinkers; Why they smoked; Anything for party; Benefits of the liquor traffic.

Dean, Rev. B. A. A Bible temperance catechism: temperance concert exercise for Sunday-schools, etc. N. Y., National Temp. Soc. and Pub. House, [1882]. 16 p. S. pap., 5 c.

Ecce spiritus: a statement of the spiritual principle of Jesus as the law of life. Bost., G. H. Ellis, 1881. 4+238 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

A serious and thoughtful attempt to represent Christianity as a permanent spiritual influence and power, instead of a mere system of doctrines. There are 15 chapters, devoted to the want of the century, the sources of Christian authority and power, spirituality, God or Christ, life, symbolism of the cross, the faith of the future, etc.

Evangelical Lutheran Church: Nachrichten von den vereinigten deutschen Evang.-Luth. Gemeinden in Nord Amerika, absonderlich in Pennsylvania; mit einer Vorrede von D. J. Ludewig Schultze, Halle, 1787. Neu herg. mit historischen Erläuterungen u. Mittheilungen aus dem Archiv der Franckeschen Stiftung zu Halle, von Dr. W. J. Mann, Dr. B. M. Schmucker, unter Mitwirkung von Dr. W. Germann. V. 1, pt. 1. Allentown, Pa., Brobst, Diehl & Co., 1881. 96 p. O. pap., 50 c.

Ficklin, Jos. Elements of algebra; designed for grammar and high schools, academies, etc. N. Y., A. S. Barnes & Co., [1882]. 296 p. S. (Barnes' new ser. of mathematics.) cl., \$1.25.

The present work, as its title indicates, is elementary in its character and suitable for use—(1) in such public schools as give instruction in the elements of algebra; (2) in institutions of learning whose courses of study do not include higher algebra; (3) in schools whose object is to prepare students for entrance into our colleges and universities. This book will also meet the wants of those students of physics who require some knowledge of algebra. On account of their importance, the subjects of factoring, greatest common divisor and least common multiple, have been treated at greater length than is usual in elementary works. In the treatment of fractions, a method is used which is quite simple, and, at the same time, more general than that usually employed.

Fitch, Nathan T. The law of real estate agency; having a general application to principals, agents, and third parties, as deduced from the decisions of the courts. Chic., E. B. Meyers & Co., 1881. 218 p. 12°. shp., \$2.50.

Ganot, Adolphe. Introductory course of natural philosophy, for the use of high schools and academies, ed. from Ganot's "Popular physics," by W. G. Peck; rev. by Levi S. Burbank and Ja. I. Hanson. Rev. ed. N. Y.,

A. S. Barnes & Co., [1882]. 8+530 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50.

The revision of Peck's "Ganot," known as a popular and important text-book, was begun by Mr. Burbank in the spring of 1880, and completed by him as far as the subject of "ballooning," when the progress of the work was interrupted by his death; the revision of the remaining portions of the book then became the work of Prof. Hanson. The essential characteristics and general plan of the book have, so far as possible, been retained, but at the same time many parts have been entirely rewritten, much new matter added, a large number of new cuts introduced, and the whole treatise thoroughly revised and brought into harmony with the present advanced stage of scientific discovery.

Gerhard, W. Paul. Sewers: diagram for facilitating the calculation of velocity and discharge of sewers; velocity up to 600 ft. per minute, and diameter of sewer up to 36 in.; with examples. N. Y., E. & F. N. Spon, 1881. 75 c.

Gerok, Karl, comp. Palmbblätter. Phil., Ig. Kohler, 1881. 12+388 p. il. T. cl., 80 c.; \$1.25; \$1.50.

A neat, cheap issue of a popular collection of religious and serious poems.

Greenleaf, A. B. Ten years in Texas. Selma, Ala., W. G. Boyd, 1881. 131 p. il. O. pap., 50 c.

Account of about ten years spent in Texas, with occasional visits to Mexico and the Indian Territory, from 1868 to 1879.

Havergal, Frances Ridley. Swiss letters and Alpine poems; ed. by J. Miriam Crane. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1882. 8+356 p. 1 il. D. cl., \$1.25.

Letters written by Miss Havergal to her home circle during several tours in Switzerland in 1869, '71, '73, '74, and '76, also some original poems; all edited by Miss Havergal's sister.

Hazel, Hope. Wine: a temperance concert exercise for Sunday-schools, reform clubs, etc. N. Y., National Temp. Soc. and Pub. House, [1882]. 16 p. S. pap., 5 c.

Hinds, Arthur, ed. Some topics in English grammar; for the pupil, the teacher, and the general reader. N. Y., Baker & Godwin, 1881. 141 p. S. cl., 60 c.

The author was lately a teacher of grammar in the Westfield, Mass., State Normal School, and this book is the result of a system devised by him to render the principles of grammar acceptable to his classes. He has not sought to make a grammar, but to show the general principles apparent in our English tongue. This is arranged under a series of topics, followed by examples and illustrations.

Hood, Mrs. Emma Nelson. Bob Dean; or, our other boarder. Phil., E. Claxton & Co., 1882. 5-379 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

A love story from a lady of Texas, the scene being partly laid in Austin, Texas, and partly in "Post Oaks;" it contains both pathos and humor, and some force in its delineations of character.

Innsly, Owen (pseud.) [Miss Lucia W. Jennison.] Love poems and sonnets. Bost., A. Williams & Co., 1881. 4+195 p. S. pap., \$1. (corr. title.)

Leffingwell, C. W., and Seymour, Arthur, eds. The Living Church annual: an almanac and calendar for 1882. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1881. 226 p. D. pap., 25 c.

Leslie, Mrs. Madeline. Little Agnes series. New ed. N. Y., Ward & Drummond, 1881. 4 v., 16° cl., reduced to \$4.

Leslie, Mrs. Madeline. Minnie and her pets. New ed. N. Y., Ward & Drummond, 1881. 6 v., 16° cl., reduced to \$3.

Leslie, Mrs. Madeline. Play and study series. New ed. N. Y., Ward & Drummond, 1881. 4 v., 16° cl., reduced to \$4.

Leyboldt, F., and Jones, Lynds, E., comp. The books of all time: a guide for the purchase of books. N. Y., F. Leyboldt, 1882. 80 p. T. pap., 10 c. [Special rates for editions printed on thinner paper for enclosure.]

A catalogue of standard works, with the prices of the best or most popular editions, and bits of criticism selected from

the writings of authorities which throw light on the characteristics of each author.

MacLay, W. Sketches of debate in the first senate of the U. S. in 1789-'91; ed. by G. W. Harris. N. Y., Brown & Derby, 1882. 18+357 p. por. O. cl., \$4.

This is the journal of a Senator in Congress from Penn., during the years 1789-'91; its chief value consists in the fact that it records with some fulness, the proceedings of the first Senate organized under the Constitution, and at a period when the sessions were held with closed doors; although not a formal report of debates, as to the language used, it gives the sentiments expressed by the leading speakers on both sides, on most of the important questions discussed at length; among these were the questions of the official title for the President of the U. S., the power of removal from office, the doctrine of a protective tariff, the location of the permanent seat of government, the jurisdiction of the federal courts, etc.

McLean, Sally Pratt. Cape Cod folks: a novel. New, improved and enl. ed. Bost., A. Williams & Co., 1881. 12° cl., \$1.50.

McMahon, Miss Ella, tr. Irish faith in America: recollections of a missionary; from the French. N. Y., Benziger Bros., [1882]. 224 p. S. cl., 75 c.

Eulogistic of the Irish Catholics in America; writer considers the missionaries of the faith, who are to bring the whole country finally under the banners of Catholicism.

Marshall, Mrs. Emma. Benvenuta; or, rainbow colors. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., [1882]. 6+362 p. D. (Home reading for girls.) cl., \$1.25.

A story of family life; Benvenuta Powys, when twenty-one years of age, is made very unhappy by her father marrying a second time; she had already begun to look upon herself as the head of the family, and the mother of her little brother and sister; the new mother makes much trouble and Benvenuta has her own disappointments and love trials, from which the writer deducts some good lessons in self-reliance.

Merriam, G. S. The way of life. Bost., G. H. Ellis, 1882. 3-205 p. D. cl., \$1.

Consists of two parts—the first is a chapter on the character of Jesus, from a rationalistic standpoint; the second, short essays on phases of every-day life, entitled: Up, and enter; The unfailing resource; Knowledge of God; The friendliness of law; Fullness of life; Immortality; Our father's house; The personal revelation.

Meyo, Isabella F. ["Edward Garrett."] Family fortunes: a domestic story. N. Y., T. Nelson & Sons, 1881. 7-381 p. D. cl., \$1.75.

As the title indicates, mainly a story of the joys and sorrows of an educated Scotch family of limited means; the mother is early taken from the young brood, and her place is in a measure supplied by a somewhat rough but wise and reliable old Scotch servant; her sayings and doings run all through the book, and her courageous fidelity, both to her master and the children, help them through many trials.

Moore, J. W. School history of North Carolina, from 1584 to the present time. 2d ed., rev. and enl. Raleigh, N. C., Alfred Williams & Co., 1882. 16+359 p. D. cl., \$1.25; hf. mor., \$1.50; School ed., bds., net, 85 c.

Has been entirely rewritten, and contains many valuable facts not before published; greatly enlarged and the state's history given to date; app. cont. the new constitution of North Carolina, followed by a series of "Questions on the constitution," prepared expressly for this work by Hon. Kemp P. Battle, Pres. of the Univ. of North Carolina.

Moore, Maude. Songs of sunshine and shadow. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1882]. 234 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

Short poems on various subjects, such as: Rock of ages; Immortality; The boy on the train; New Year's eve; Do you remember? The rhyme of the baby, etc.

Mortimer, Rev. Alfred G. Helps to meditation: sketches for every day in the year, with an introd. by the Right Rev., the Bishop of Springfield: V. 1: Advent to Trinity. 2d ed. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1881. 29+240 p. O. cl., \$2.50.

Norton, G. S., M.D. Ophthalmic therapeutics ; with an introd. by T. F. Allen, M.D. 2d ed., rewritten and rev. with additions. N. Y. and Phil., Boericke & Tafel, 1882. 342 p. O. cl., \$2.50.

Dr. Norton, in his preface to this 2d ed., says: "The many additions to ophthalmic therapeutics within the past six years, have rendered necessary a complete revision of this little manual." Part first has been wholly rewritten, and several new remedies added; more space has been given to illustrative cases, and considerable matter considered unreliable has been eliminated. Part second has been thoroughly revised and copious additions made. A carefully prepared glossary of all the special medical terms used in the book has been compiled by Dr. Malcolm Leal, and a general index of remedies, diseases, and authors added.

Rand, McNally & Co., (pubs.) Indexed atlas of the world; 93 maps, 251 diagrams, 852 p. Chic., Rand, McNally & Co. \$25; mor., \$30; hf. mor., \$27.50.

Riddell, Mrs. J. H. The senior partner: a novel. N. Y., Harper, 1882. 94 p. Q. (Harper's Franklin sq. lib., no. 223.) pap., 20 c.

Chiefly a character study of a Scotch business man, a strange combination of strength and meanness, sordidness and idealism; the other characters are his son and daughter-in-law, from whom he becomes estranged, and a number of well-known types from middle-class English life.

Ridgway, H. B., D.D. The life of Edmund S. James, D.D., late Senior Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church. N. Y., Phillips & Hunt, 1882. 428 p. 12° cl., \$1.50; hf. mor., \$2.25.

Schell, H. S., M.D. Manual of ophthalmic practice. Phil., D. G. Brinton, 1881. 263 p. il. 8° cl., \$2.

Shattered idol (The), by the author of "Dora Thorne;" [also] Lee, the letter man. N. Y., J. S. Ogilvie & Co., 1881. 28 p. Q. (People's lib., no. 159.) pap., 10 c.

Smith, J. Lewis, M.D. Treatise on the diseases of infancy and childhood. 5th ed. rev. Phil., H: C Lea's Son & Co., 1881. 836 p. il. 8° cl., \$4.50; leath., \$5.50; hf. rus., \$6.

Spurr, G. G. The land of gold: a tale of '49. Bost., A. Williams & Co., 1881. 300 p. il. 12° cl., \$1.50.

Sunday-school concert: collection of 26 concert exercises and dialogues for use of Sunday-schools, etc. N. Y., National Temp. Soc. and Pub. House, 1881. 224 p. S. cl., 50 c.; pap., 25 c.

Symonds, J. Addington. Renaissance in Italy: [Pt. 1.] The age of the despots. N. Y., H: Holt & Co., 1881. 14+644 p. O. cl., \$3.50. See notice below.

Symonds, J. Addington. Renaissance in Italy: [Pt. 2.] The revival of learning. N. Y., H: Holt & Co., 1881. 16+549 p. O. cl., \$3.50. The third volume of "The Renaissance in Italy," entitled "The fine arts," was published by Messrs. H: Holt & Co. several years ago; with the above volumes the work is com-

plete, though each volume is independent of the other, and may be read separately. "The age of the despots" refers chiefly to the political condition of Italy in the 14th and 15th centuries. It opens with a chapter on "The spirit of the renaissance," or the revival of learning; indicating the lines on which the great transition took place, and the various influences which prevailed in this movement; several chapters follow on "Italian history," "The age of the despots," "The republics," "Florentine historians," etc.; others on, "The 'Prince' of Machiavelli," "The Popes of the renaissance," "Savonarola," "Charles VIII." "The revival of learning"—the 2d part—gives interesting details and valuable information about the men of the renaissance, the first, second, third, and fourth periods of Humanism, Latin poetry, etc. Both volumes are written in an exceedingly graphic style, and are thoughtful and scholarly. This edition differs from the English in having a good index to each volume.

Tileston, Mary W., ed. Tender and true: poems of love. [Anon.] Bost., G. H. Ellis, 1882. 12+180 p. T. cl., \$1; gilt, \$1.50; hf. cf., \$2.50; full cf. or mor., \$3.50.

Collection of love poems; contains sonnets of Shakespeare and Mrs. Browning, songs of Lovelace and Burns, and poetry by Tennyson, Coventry, Patmore, and many other less-known singers, such as Payne and Munby. By the editor of "Quiet hours," etc.

Townsend, Mary Ashley. ["Xariffa."] Down the bayou, and other poems. Bost., Ja. R. Osgood & Co., 1882. 230 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

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- Winter, W. (518), The Jeffersons, il. 12° (Am. actor ser., no. 2), \$1.25. *Bost., Osgood.*
- Winter and its dangers, see Osgood, H.
- Wister, Mrs. A. L., see Hartner, E.
- Women, Common-sense about, see Higginson, T. W.
— Diseases of, see Atkinson, W. B.
- Wood, Mrs. H. (520), Count Netherleigh, 4° (Seaside lib., no. 1166), pap., 20 c. *N. Y., Munro; N. Y. News Co.*
- (517), The lost bank-note; [also] Rose lodge, 4° (People's lib., no. 131), pap., 10 c. *N. Y., Ogilvie.*
- (516), Robert Ashton's wedding day, and other tales, 4° (Seaside lib., no. 1128), pap., 10 c. *N. Y., Munro; N. Y. News Co.*
- Wood, J. G. (516), The new illustrated natural history, il. 8°, \$4; hf. im. rus., \$5; shp., \$5; hf. cf., \$8. *N. Y., Routledge.*
- Woods, Kate T. (518), Doctor Dick, il. 12°, \$1.50. *Bost., Lothrop.*
- Words, facts, and phrases, see Edwards, E.
- World (516) A, of wonders; or, morals in animate and inanimate nature, il. 8°, \$2. *N. Y., Appleton.*
- Worms, Vegetable mould through action of, see Darwin, C.
- Worthies of the world, see Dulcken, H. W.
- Wren, Sir Christopher, see Phillimore, L.
- Wright, Julia McN. (520), Tragedy of the sea, 12° (Fife and drum ser., no. 2), pap., 10 c. *N. Y., Nat. Temp. Soc.*
- Yates, E. (516), Going to the bad; a novel, 4° (Seaside lib., no. 1121), pap., 10 c. *N. Y., Munro; N. Y. News Co.*
- Year (A) of miracles, see Gannett, H. C.
- Yesterdays with authors, see Fields, J. T.
- Young (516) America's picture-book, il. fol., bds., \$1.50. *N. Y., Worthington.*
- (516) folks' chatterbox, il. sq. 8°, bds., \$1.25. *N. Y., Worthington.*
- Your mission, see Gates, E. M. H.
— money or your life, see Collins, W.
- Yule-log, see Thorpe, R. H.
- Zschokke, H. (520), The princess of Brunswick-Wolfenbützel, 4° (Seaside lib., no. 1159), pap., 10 c. *N. Y., Munro; N. Y. News Co.*

The Publishers' Weekly.

JANUARY 14, 1882.

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THE above is the legend on the title page of the first section of the Enclosure Catalogue just published under the title "Books for all Time." With the publication of the Enclosure Catalogue the "set of tools," planned and prepared at this office, may be considered complete. Another generation may require a new set, of improved pattern, but for the present almost every known want appears to be met, and we are anxious for the sake of others as well as for ourselves to pause. In no other country do booksellers receive from one office so many practical aids, all calculated to further the interests of publishers and booksellers, librarians, and the reading public. Of this completed work the corner stone (which, alas, has not yet returned the cost of even the building material) is the recently published *American Catalogue*, which, for finding purposes, forms the key to the bulk of books in the American market. The *Trade List Annual*, its natural companion and supplement, gives the additional books and the latest prices. The *Publishers' Weekly* completes, from week to week and from month to month, closing with its annual summary, the record of the new books. These three "tools," practically one and inseparable, are really indispensable to the outfit of every bookseller who wishes to be prepared to meet the fierce competition of the day.

For the information of the book-buying pub-

lic and the soliciting of orders there are the imprint editions for the various book seasons, such as, the "Educational Number," the "Summer Number," the "Holiday Number," etc., of the *Publishers' Weekly*, and also the imprint editions of the *Literary News*. For the libraries, there is the *Library Journal*, with its practical Purchase and Reference Lists, and it is not quite out of place to mention here also, the *Index Medicus*, which records from month to month, not only all the medical books, but the whole journalistic literature of the medical world. All these special issues and imprint editions serve special purposes, with the exception of the *Literary News*, which is prepared with a view to the interests of the general reader and bookbuyer. The information on new books being thus fully provided for, it remains to present, in compact form, an enclosure catalogue of those standards which form the foundation of the home library. The *Books of all Time*, and in a measure, the *Reading Diary of Modern Fiction*—the one giving a list of nearly all the standard works in general literature, and the other presenting a full survey of the field of modern fiction—to a great extent meet this want. The intent of the *Books of all Time*, will be more fully explained by the preface as here quoted:

PREFACE

"Let every man, if possible, gather some good books under his roof."—CHANNING.

And "Hark you, sir, I'll have them very fairly bound."—SHAKESPEARE.

Both to aid in the purchase of books, and to kindle the love of good literature, is the purpose of this little catalogue *raisonné*. The first purpose is answered by the list, which gives the prices of the best or most popular editions; the second by the bits of criticism which throw some light on the characteristics of each author. This guide does not pretend to provide for the fastidious collector of rare books and costly editions; but is intended to thoroughly provide for every one who, not for show or curiosity, but for use and enjoyment, wishes "to gather some good books under his roof." Scarcely an author is given whose works are not counted among the treasures of literature, and scarcely an edition omitted which might seem indispensable for the founding of the home library. Perhaps greater inconsistency may be found in the selection of contemporary writers; but as they must be measured by a different standard from those who have stood the test of time, it has been decided to make them the subject of a special supplement, should the present attempt prove sufficiently encouraging to justify further efforts in this direction.

A word of advice to book-buyers is not out of place here. Whoever can afford to buy the best edition should never begrudge its price.

"Buy, reade, and iudge,
The price do not grudge—
It will doe thee more pleasure
Than twice see much treasure."

A good book is an investment for life, and a good edition retains its value for all time. The only safe place to look for a recognized edition is the book-store of good standing. There has sprung up within the past few years a class of books in gaudy covers, manufactured for the cheap counter, which, like cheap finery, can give no genuine pleasure, and which in good company is easily detected,—to the discredit of the owner. It is not necessary that the edition be costly,—for all the classics are published in good editions to suit every purse,—but it is as important to note the publisher's imprint on the book as it is to note the trademark on any genuine article. *Sat sapienti!* But it is better to own the cheapest edition of a good book than no books at all. For "to be without books of your own is the abyss of penury; don't endure it!" exclaims Ruskin. And it is the same author who says, "All books are divisible into two classes,—the books of the hour, and *the books of all time.*"

In order to meet the criticisms which may be suggested by this first section, it should be explained that the necessity of presenting the Enclosure Catalogue within a certain space, made a division of material (not at first intended) imperative, which resulted in a few inconsistencies in drawing the lines. A number of works will be missed, which perhaps have a better claim to the title, "Books of all Time," than many others that are included, but this will be explained, and to some extent remedied, by the second (topical) section of the Enclosure Catalogue which, with the title *Literature of Knowledge*, will under its specific headings (such as: "United States," "England," "Greece," "Civilization," "Literature," "Political Economy," etc.), give the works of such authors as Bancroft, Froude, Gibbon, Grote, Hume, Buckle, Mill, and others, whose works can be properly classed under topical headings. It is true that a few of the historians, such as Hallam, Macaulay, Motley, Prescott, and others, are collectively included in the first section, but their special works will again appear under their respective topics in the second section. This (*Literature of Knowledge*) will include the most trustworthy works for the study of literature, art, philosophy, history, biography, etc., with authoritative notes, briefly stating the merit or characteristics of the more prominent works. The third section of the Enclosure Catalogue will be devoted to *Books for the Young*, and will also be accompanied by annotations, in addition to a system of notation indicating the suitability of books for girls or for boys, or for a certain age. This will be the last section intended for publication this year, and it is expected to be ready for the fall trade. Booksellers are invited to send for samples of the first section, which can be used to the best advantage at the present season.

THE LIBRARY JOURNAL PRIZE QUESTION.

From the Library Journal, December.

THE extension of time granted to the library representatives, finally resulted in the respectable number of fifty-three competitors, scoring 5300 votes—no easy task to count and tabulate. The decision was made by counting each entry of a book as a vote for that book, and by crediting each list with the total number of votes which each of its books thus received. This will appear clearer by consulting the tabulated list below, which will enable any one to make an approximate estimate of the standing of his own individual list. Lifting out the hundred books which received the highest votes, it will be seen that, should any one have been so fortunate as to have selected these hundred books, he would have scored the highest possible total, viz.: 1928. The two lists which come nearest to this possible maximum, and are therefore entitled to the first and second prizes, score 1692 and 1654 respectively, falling nearly 250 votes short of the maximum. As both these lists were contributed by persons connected with the office of the *Library Journal*, *Literary news*, and *Publishers' weekly*, and as both competitors (who only joined in the contest to add, as well as to test, their own experience) naturally decline to claim their actual share in the awards, it has been decided to distribute their shares among those whose lists follow in merit the four successful ones. According to this distribution, the following is therefore the list of awards:

PRIZE. AWARD.		VOTE.	
3d	\$15	A. L. Morrell, St. Louis.....	1511
		(with St. Louis Book and News Co.)	
4th	\$10	W. H. Arnold, Philadelphia.....	1484
5th	\$10	J. Schwartz, Apprentices' Library, New York City.....	1410
6th	\$10	C. E. Butler, Philadelphia.....	1406
		(with J. B. Lippincott & Co.)	
7th	\$5	Ellie Colegrove, Chicago.....	1384
		(with Colegrove Book Co.)	
8th	\$5	J. H. Thomas, Dayton, O.....	1379
9th	\$5	R. C. Lichtenstein, Boston.....	1365
		(with Estes & Lauriat.)	
10th	\$5	J. A. Shaw, Providence, R. I.....	1352
11th	\$5	F. J. Soldan, Public Lib., Peoria, Ill.....	1311
12th	\$5	R. B. McGowan, Y. M. Lib., Buffalo.....	1277
13th	\$5	S. B. Noyes, Brooklyn Library.....	1277
14th	\$5	W. L. Brown, Y. M. Library, Buffalo.....	1274
15th	\$5	J. B. Fredericks, New York City.....	1267
		(with Baker, Pratt & Co.)	
16th	\$5	Geo. W. Humphrey, Boston.....	1263
		(with Roberts Bros.)	
17th	\$5	A. P. Jeanneret, New York City.....	1248
		(with A. D. F. Randolph & Co.)	

This division exhausts the \$100 appropriated as prize money, but the two succeeding votes, viz.: the 18th, Davis L. James, Cincinnati, and the 19th, Miss M. M. Monachesi, New York, follow so closely upon the foregoing with votes of 1239 and 1237 respectively (the next vote dropping to 1159), that a special prize is awarded to each of these competitors, consisting of one year's subscription to the *Library Journal* and *Literary news* or the *Publishers' weekly* and *Literary news*, as may be preferred. [It is a noteworthy fact that among the booksellers named above will be recognized some of the most successful competitors on the prize questions offered through the *Publishers' weekly* a few years ago.] The lowest count was 260.

It should be mentioned that some competitors who presented excellent lists have lost their chance by the violation or oversight of the rules of the contest. Many persons have put

in books which were distinctly excluded according to the list of exceptions. In several cases the same book appeared twice in the same list. In all such cases the competitor has thrown away his chance, for, in the first instance, the books chosen received only his individual votes and, in the second, the duplicate did not receive the total vote of its first entry, but could be treated only as if it were an additional single vote.

In order to fully understand the object of the prize question and the relative value of the lists below, it is necessary to turn to the conditions stated in the *Library Journal* for June, page 185. The following rules, however, as particularly important, are here repeated:

1. The object of the present prize question is to obtain a list of books (other than poetry, fiction, juveniles, and such as are enumerated under 4) which a majority of the competitors agree should be found in every library for general readers.

4. The answers shall consist of a list of 100 individual works (independent of the number of volumes) selected with the restrictions as specified below.

Excluded from competition:

a. Works not properly belonging to the present century.
b. Poetry, fiction, and juveniles (reserved for a future prize question).

c. Encyclopædias, dictionaries, gazetteers, atlases, epitomes of authors, selections (even if accompanied by introduction or sketches of authors), and periodicals.

d. Technical and professional works; dogmatic theology; elementary text-books.

e. The works of Bancroft, Carlyle, Darwin, De Quincey, Emerson, Freeman, Froude, Goethe, Green (J. R.), Grote, Hallam, Hawthorne, Hood, Humboldt (A. v.), Hunt (Leigh), Huxley, Irving, Jameson (Mrs.), Lamb, Macaulay, Mill (John S.), Milman, Motley, Parkman, Prescott, Ruskin, Schiller, Spencer (Herbert), Strickland (Mrs.), Taylor, (Bayard), Thackeray, Thiers, Tocqueville, Tyndall.

f. Such series as: Classics for English readers, English men of letters, English philosophers, Epochs of history, Great artists and musicians, Philosophical classics, Plutarch series, etc.

THE PRIZE LIST.

	VOTES.
*McCarthy, History of Our Own Times	40
*Taine, English Literature	38
*Smiles, Self-Help	36
*Stanley, Through the Dark Continent	35
*Lowell, Among My Books	34
*Draper, Intellectual Development of Europe	33
*Knight, England	33
*Trevelyan, Macaulay	33
*Buckle, Civilization	31
*Creasy, Fifteen Decisive Battles	30
*Rawlinson, Great Monarchies	30
*Hamerton, Intellectual Life	29
*Leccky, European Morals	29
*Wallace, Russia	28
*Clemens, Innocents Abroad	27
*Farrar, Christ	27
*Guizot, France	27
*Holmes, Autocrat of the Breakfast Table	27
Rémusat, Memoirs	27
*Fields, Yesterdays with Authors	26
*Forster, Dickens	26
*Bird, Unbeaten Tracks in Japan	25
*Brassey, Around the World in Yacht "Sunbeam"	25
*Mathews, Getting on in the World	25
*Mommson, Rome	25
*Wilkinson, Ancient Egyptians	25
*Lübke, History of Art	24
*Tyler, American Literature	23
*Abbott, Napoleon	22
*Kinglelake, Invasion of the Crimea	22
*Lockhart, Scott	22
Metternich, Memoirs	22
*Curtius, Greece	21
*Hare, Walks in Rome	21
*D'Aubigne, Reformation	20
Guizot, Civilization	20
*Hare, Baroness Bunsen	20
*Leccky, Rationalism	20
*Lowell, My Study Windows	20
Thomson, Land and the Book	20
[Southern Palestine and Jerusalem.]	
Bryant and Gay, United States	19

* The asterisk indicates the books which constitute the first prize list, contributed by Mr. G. D. T. Rouse.

VOTES.

Lossing, Field-Book of the Revolution	19
*Dana, Two Years before the Mast	18
*Hildreth, United States	18
*Kinglelake, Eöthen	18
*Lewes, Goethe	18
*Livingstone, Travels in South Africa	18
Müller, Chips from a German Workshop	18
*Smiles, Character	18
*Draper, Civil War	17
*Parton, Voltaire	17
Alison, Europe	16
Gaskell, Brontë	16
*Greeley, American Conflict	16
*Helps, Friends in Council	16
Livingstone, Lost Journals	16
*Stanley, Arnold	16
*Stanley, Jewish Church	16
*Ticknor, Spanish Literature	16
*Trevelyan, Fox	16
*Bulfinch, Age of Fable	15
*Clarke, Ten Great Religions	15
Hare, Memorials of a Quiet Life	15
Stanley, How I Found Livingstone	15
*Warner, My Winter on the Nile	15
*White, Words and Their Uses	15
*Arnold, Essays in Criticism	14
*Blackie, Self-Culture	14
Brown, Spare Hours	14
*Grimm, Michael Angelo	14
*Howells, Italian Journeys	14
*Layard, Nineveh	14
Porter, Books and Reading	14
Ranke, History of the Popes	14
Webster, Great Speeches	14
*Bigelow, Franklin	13
*Holst, Constitutional Hist. of U. S.	13
*Lewis, Germany	13
*McKenzie, Nineteenth Century	13
*Rawlinson, Origin of Nations	13
*Southey, Nelson	13
*Trench, Study of Words	13
Warner, My Summer in a Garden	13
*Amicus, Holland	12
*Badeau, Grant	12
Baker, Turkey	12
D'Israeli, Curiosities of Literature	12
Draper, Conflict Between Religion and Science	12
Geikie, Christ	12
*Holmes, Professor at the Breakfast Table	12
Lewes, Biog. Hist. of Philosophy	12
Michaud, Crusades	12
Schliemann, Ilios	12
Stevens, Mne. de Staël	12

Add (to make up the first 100) any six of the books specified below as having received 11 votes each. 66

Total of first 100 books. 1928

THE MINOR VOTES.

The following 14 books received 11 votes each (deducting the 66 votes counted in above list, leaving a total) 88

Clarke, Self-Culture.—Conybeare and Howson, St. Paul.
—Hamerton, Thoughts about Art.—Hare, Walks in London.
—Holland, Timothy Titcomb's Letters.—*Howells, Venetian Life.—Leccky, England in the 18th Century.—Mulford, The Nation.—Stephens, Travels in Central America.—Taine, French Revolution.—*Thoreau, Walden.—Tyler, Primitive Culture.—White, England, Without and Within.—Whitney, Language and Study of Language.

The following 28 books received 9 votes each. 280

Bird, Lady's Life in Rocky Mountains.—*Dowden, Shakspeare.—Farrar, St. Paul.—Frothingham, Rise of the Republic.—*Grimm, Goethe.—Haeckel, Creation.—Helps, Spanish Conquest.—Hilard, Six Months in Italy.—Kane, Arctic Explorations.—*Kingsley, Chas. Life.—Landor, Imaginary Conversations.—Lossing, Field-Book of the Civil War.—Lubbock, Prehistoric Times.—Lyell, Geology.—Miller, Testimony of the Rocks.—Mitchell, Reveries of a Bachelor.—Newcomb, Popular Astronomy.—Palfrey, New England.—*Parton, Franklin.—*Parton, Jackson.—*Parton, Jefferson.—Pinto, How I crossed Africa.—*Schliemann, Ancient Mycenæ.—Seward, Travels Around the World.—*Stanley, Sinai and Palestine.—Ticknor, Life.—*Van Laun, French Literature.—Wood, Natural Hist.

The following 19 books received 9 votes each. 171

Blakie, Livingstone.—*Curtis, Webster.—Fergusson, Architecture.—*Forsyth, Cicero.—Harvey, Daniel Webster.—Hughes, Manliness of Christ.—Lamartine, Girondists.—Lanfrey, Napoleon.—*Masson, Milton.—Merivale, Hist. of Romans under the Empire.—Napier, Peninsular War.—*Nordhoff, Politics for Young Americans.—Pierce, Chas. Sumner.—*Smiles, Duty.—Smiles, Thrift.—Stedman, Victorian Poets.—*Warner, In the Levant.—Whipple, Essays and Reviews.—*White, Every-Day English.

The following 17 books received 8 votes each 136
 Bryce, Holy Roman Empire.—Clemens, Tramp Abroad.
 —Davis, Confederate Government.—Felton, Ancient and Modern Greece.—Field, Egypt to Japan.—Gladstone, *Juventus Mundi*.—Lodge, English Colonies in America.—Martin, Prince Consort.—Martineau (H.), *Autobiography*.—Oliphant, *Makers of Florence*.—*Parton, Burr.—Robinson, *Diary*.—*Stubbs, *Constitutional Hist. of England*.—Taine, *Ancient Régime*.—Taine, *Lectures on Art*.—*Warner, *Back-Log Studies*.—Wilson, *Noctes Ambrosianæ*.

The following 25 books received 7 votes each 175
 Argyll, *Reign of Law*.—Arnold, *Rome*.—Blakie, *How to Get Strong*.—Boswell, *Johnson*.—*Brassey, *Sunshine and Storm*.—Burroughs, *Locusts and Wild Honey*.—Cesnola, *Cyprus*.—*Clement, *Legend and Mythol. Art*.—*Coppée, *Conquest of Spain*.—Eastlake, *Household Taste*.—Field, *From the Lakes of Killarney to the Golden Horn*.—Forney, *Anecdotes of Public Men*.—Hughes, *Alfred the Great*.—Martin, *France*.—Merivale, *General Hist. of Rome*.—Müller, *Science of Language*.—Proctor, *Light Science*.—Rawlinson, *Ancient Egypt*.—*Seelye, *Ecce Homo*.—Sherman, *Memoirs*.—Sismondi, *Literature of Southern Europe*.—Stephen, *Hours in a Library*.—Trollope, *Cicero*.—Tyler, *Mankind*.—Winchell, *Creation*.

The following 31 books received 6 votes each 186
 D'Arblay, *Diary and Letters*.—Baring-Gould, *Curious Myths of the Middle Ages*.—Burroughs, *Pepacton*.—Carpenter, *Mental Physiology*.—Catlin, *North Am. Indians*.—Clemens, *Roughing It*.—Craik, *English Literature*.—Escott, *England*.—Gibbon, *Roman Empire*.—Griffis, *Mikado's Empire*.—Harland, *Loiterings in Pleasant Paths*.—Haweis, *Music and Morals*.—Holmes, *Poet at the Breakfast Table*.—Hunt, *Bits of Travel*.—Lonsdale, *Sister Flora*.—Lossing, *Field-Book of the War of 1812*.—Maine, *Ancient Law*.—Marsh, *Lectures on English Language*.—Miller, *Old Red Sandstone*.—Moore, *Byron*.—Paris, *Civil War*.—Pumpelly, *America and Asia*.—Robertson, *Life and Letters*.—Smiles, *Stephenson*.—Smith (A.), *Wealth of Nations*.—Smith (Sydney), *Essays*.—Smyth, *Our Inheritance in the Great Pyramid*.—Taine, *Notes on England*.—Talleyrand, *Correspondence*.—Tyler, *Anthropology*.—Wirt, *Patrick Henry*.

The following 47 books received 5 votes each 235
 Arnold, *Culture and Anarchy*.—Arnold, *Literature and Dogma*.—Bagehot, *English Constitution*.—Baird, *Huguenots in France*.—Baker, *Albert N'Yanza*.—Bates, *Naturalist on the River Amazon*.—Becker, *Gallus*.—Buckley, *Life and her Children*.—Bunsen, *Baron Bunsen*.—Burnaby, *Ride to Khiva*.—Creasy, *Ottoman Turks*.—Curtis (G. T.), *Constitution of U. S.*—Curtis (G. W.), *Nile Notes of a Howadjii*.—D'Israeli, *Amenities of Literature*.—Dixie, *Across Patagonia*.—Figuier, *Human Race*.—Hayes, *Open Polar Sea*.—Headley, *Washington and his Generals*.—Holland, *Gold Foil*.—Hoppin, *Old England*.—Irving (P.), *Washington Irving*.—Johnston, *Chemistry of Common Life*.—Kirk, *Charles the Bold*.—Lubbock, *Origin of Civilization*.—Lyell, *Antiquity of Man*.—*Maine, *Early Institutions*.—Mathews, *Oratory and Orators*.—May, *Constitutional Hist. of England*.—Miller, *My Schools and Schoolmasters*.—Murray, *Manual of Mythology*.—Parton, *Famous Americans*.—Porter, *Human Intellect*.—Proctor, *Other Worlds Than Ours*.—Reclus, *The Earth*.—Reclus, *Ocean*.—Saint-Beuve, *Celebrated Women*.—Schliemann, *Troy*.—Schuyler, *Turkistan*.—Somerville (Mary), *Personal Recollections*.—Staël, *Germany*.—Thomson, *To the Central African Lakes and Back*.—Trench, *English, Past and Present*.—Ueberwiz, *Hist. of Philosophy*.—*Warner, *Saunterings*.—Whitney, *Life and Growth of Language*.—Williams, *Middle Kingdom*.—*Woolsey, *Political Science*.

The following 70 books received 4 votes each 280
 D'Abantes, *Napoleon*.—Agassiz (L.), *Methods in Nat. Hist.*—Agassiz (L., and Mrs. E. C.), *Journey in Brazil*.—Anderson, *Norse Mythology*.—Bacon, *Essays*.—Baker, *Ismailia*.—Baker, *Nile Tributaries of Abyssinia*.—Bayne, *Essays in Biography and Criticism*.—Becker, *Charicles*.—Benton, *Thirty Years' View*.—Brugsch, *Egypt*.—Burroughs, *Wake Robin*.—Cameron, *Across Africa*.—Campbell, *Lord Chancellors of England*.—Dana, *Geology*.—Du Chaillu, *Equatorial Africa*.—Dyer, *Pompeii*.—Fiske, *Myths and Myth-makers*.—Fletcher and Kidder, *Brazil and Brazilians*.—George, *Progress and Poverty*.—Greg, *Enigmas of Life*.—Guild, *Over the Ocean*.—Guillemin, *The Heavens*.—Guyot, *Earth and Man*.—Hamerton, *Round My House*.—Hare, *Guesses at Truth*.—Harland, *Common-Sense in the Household*.—Hazlitt, *Literature of Age of Elizabeth*.—Helps, *Companions of My Solitude*.—Holland, *Lincoln*.—Jackson, *Century of Dishonor*.—Keddies, *Modern Painters*.—Kemble, *Records of a Girlhood*.—King, *Mountaineering in the Sierra Nevada*.—Knight, *Half-Hours with Best Authors*.—Kossuth, *Memoirs of My Exile*.—*Lossing, *United States*.—Lübke, *Hist. of Sculpture*.—Mahaffy, *Social Life in Greece*.—Mallock, *Is Life Worth Living?*.—Martineau, *Eastern Life*.—Mathews, *Great Conversers*.—Mathews, *Hours with Men and Books*.—Mathews, *Words, Their Use and Abuse*.—Maudsley, *Body and Mind*.—May, *Democracy in Europe*.—Miller,

Footprints of the Creator.—Niebuhr, *Roman History*.—Nordhoff, *California*.—Perry, *Political Economy*.—Proctor, *Sun*.—Robertson, *Sermons*.—Schlegel, *Philosophy of History*.—Smiles, *Industrial Biography*.—Smith (P.), *Hist. of the World*.—Stephen, *English Thought in 18th Century*.—Swinton, *12 Decisive Battles of the War*.—Symonds, *Sketches and Studies in Southern Europe*.—Taine, *Italy*.—Thoreau, *Maine Woods*.—Thoreau, *Week on the Concord and Merrimack Rivers*.—Wallace, *Island Life*.—Wallace, *Malay Archipelago*.—Whipple, *Character and Characteristic Men*.—Whipple, *Elizabethan Literature*.—Whipple, *Success and its Conditions*.—Whymper, *Among the Alps*.—Wilson, *Slave Power in America*.—Wood, *Homes without Hands*.—Youman, *Culture Demanded by Modern Life*.

The following 127 books received 3 votes each 381
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235 books received 2 votes each (including *Gautier, Constantinople) 470
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Exceptions to the above decisions must be made before January 25th, after which date no further appeals can be considered.

HENRY IVISON.

From the N. Y. Times, Jan. 10.

AMONG the business changes incidental to the season, one that will attract great attention in the book trade is the retirement of Mr. Henry Ivison from the publishing house of which he has been the head for more than thirty years. It is understood that he transfers his entire capital in the firm of Ivison, Blakeman, Taylor & Co. to his only living son, David B. Ivison, who has been a partner with him since 1863. Mr. Ivison was born in Glasgow in 1808. He came to this country with his parents in 1820, and, in the same year, entered the family and employment of William Williams, of Utica, N. Y., who was then the principal bookseller in the western part of the State. In 1830 he began business for himself at Auburn, and at once took a leading position in the trade. In 1846 he moved to this city, and became a partner with Mark H. Newman, who was the first publisher that had up to that time succeeded in making a connected and graduated set of school-books. On the death of Mr. Newman the whole care of the business devolved upon him, and he carried it on successfully alone for several years. It increased rapidly under his enterprising management, and he found it desirable to seek assistance, and in 1856 the firm became Ivison & Phinney. The house had now grown to be one of the first rank, and its publications were used more or less in the schools of every State in the Union, its lists of authors comprising many educational writers whose names have since become famous, as C. W. Sanders, Dr. McElligott, Dr. Asa Gray, David A. Wells; Profs. Woodbury, Fasquelle, etc. From his first connection with the book trade until within a few years past, covering a period of more than half a century, Mr. Ivison gave the most assiduous attention to business. Later he has left the management of the concern largely to his partners, and now retires in good health and robust body to enjoy repose and the ease and comfort of family and social surroundings.

Among the characteristics of Mr. Ivison's business life the fine qualities of head and heart were ever conspicuous. To his partners and employes he was like the head of a family, and his influence pervaded every department of the concern. It is said that he never had a harsh word with a partner; that he never sued or was sued in his life, and that no piece of his business paper ever passed maturity. Those who succeed him will still have the benefit of his counsel and experience. Mr. Ivison will carry with him into his retirement the cordial wishes of the trade and of hosts of people who have received instruction from some one or more of the text-books which have borne his name, for many years of health and happiness.

BUSINESS NOTES.

BALTIMORE, Md.—John B. Piet, the well-known publisher, has associated with himself his son John B. Piet, Jr., and Stephen Tongue, and will hereafter carry on business under the firm name of John B. Piet & Co. The change took effect January 3, 1882.

THE AMERICAN BOOK EXCHANGE FAILURE.

THERE was another meeting of the creditors of the American Book Exchange, John B. Alden manager, on the 11th inst. *The Sun* reports that "Receiver Randolph and Trustee Wilson said they could not give the creditors much information because the books were in so confused a condition that it would be useless to set even an expert accountant at them. Customers' accounts were kept on cards in pigeon-holes, and if the cards got lost the accounts were extinct. Several of the creditors showed circulars of a new concern which it was said Mr. Alden was getting up on the plan of the American Book Exchange—a 'Useful Knowledge' concern."

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

Calvert's Magazine will hereafter be published in New York, the offices having been moved from Philadelphia. "Tales Told by an Idiot" will be the suggestive title of a series of papers by Mr. C. W. F. Calvert.

The Season is the name of a new illustrated fashion paper, for which the United States News Company is agent. It contains colored plates, patterns, and much special information of that kind so much sought by ladies and their dress-makers.

THE February *Wide Awake* will contain an article likely to interest adults and young folks alike: "Jacob Abbott Among Children." Together with interesting glimpses of his family life, it gives many of his unpublished letters to his grandchildren.

Music is the title of a new review devoted to the musical, dramatic, and kindred arts. The journal will be edited by John C. Freund, well known as the editor and publisher of the *Musical and Dramatic Times*, which suspended publication in 1880.

Golden Days, the popular illustrated weekly for boys and girls, issued by James Elverton, may now be had in monthly parts put up in an attractive cover. The issuing the weekly in monthly parts makes a very acceptable magazine for those who prefer to purchase it in that shape.

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Our Continent is the title of a new illustrated literary weekly to be issued February 4th in Philadelphia. It will be conducted by Albion W. Tourgée, the author of "A Fool's Errand," assisted by Daniel G. Brinton and Robert S. Davis. Miss Kate Field is to have charge of a department devoted to co-operative work among women; and Mrs. Louise Chandler Moulton will edit a column on social customs. A decorative art department will be conducted by Mr. Donald G. Mitchell and Mr. Louis C. Tiffany. The paper will be stitched, cut, and bound in colored covers which have been designed by Mr. Tiffany. With the first number will be given a steel plate engraving of Albion W. Tourgée, with his autograph.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

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GEORGE TICKNOR CURTIS's "Life of James Buchanan" is nearly finished and ready for publication.

E. P. DUTTON & Co. have issued "Swiss Letters and Alpine Poems," by the late Frances Ridley Havergal.

T. B. PETERSON & BROS. have published "A Child of Israel," by Edouard Cadol, translated by Laura E. Kendall.

THE Friends' Book Association of Philadelphia are arranging to issue a new and cheap edition of Samuel M. Janney's "Life of William Penn."

MR. CHARLES L. CHASE, who was connected with the Orange Judd Co. for 11 years, is again engaged in their book department, where he will be pleased to see his friends.

REV. S. HUMPHREYS GURTEEN, Buffalo, N. Y., proposes to issue in February a "Handbook of Charity Organization," provided a sufficient number of copies are ordered to warrant the publication.

JOHN E. POTTER & Co., of Philadelphia, have added to their educational list, "A Manual of the German Language," by Prof. Augustin Knopfloch. It is spoken of very highly as a guide to beginners in German.

HENRY A. YOUNG & Co., Boston, will publish immediately Prof. J. H. Gilmore's "Intermediate Speaker," "Marion West's Sunday-school Concert Book," containing exercises for different occasions; and a collection also under the title of "Sunday-school Concert Book," arranged by Hezekiah Butterworth.

T. H. S. HAMERSLY, of Washington, has in press a "Directory of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps for 1882." The directory will contain the name and P. O. address of every officer of the Army and Navy now on service. The work will not only be of value to those in the service, but also to those having business relations with them.

THE announcement, which was unconsciously copied in the WEEKLY, that the author of the "Schönberg-Cotta Family" has written a new story entitled "Against the Stream," will no doubt have been recognized by the trade as an "old sojer." Dodd, Mead & Co. have had the volume on their list for several years, and now consider it an active book.

BROBST, DIEHL & Co., Allentown, Pa., have issued a "Commentary on the Gospel of St. Mark," by Rev. R. F. Weidner, of Philadelphia. The volume embraces the authorized and revised versions on opposite pages, with parallel passages. It also contains a harmony of the four gospels, questions at the foot of the pages, a map, complete index, and other features of value to student and teacher.

THE essay on "Superlatives," which Mr. Emerson contributes to the next number of *The Century*, is one that has lain for some time among the papers of the venerable writer. It will interest other authors, to whom he suggests the value and the charm of simplicity and exactness of statement. Mr. Emerson himself read the proofs of the article, with his daughter's aid, and made several changes.

THE *Academy*, of Dec. 24, notices several American holiday publications in a manner that must be encouraging to the publishers. The illustrated edition of "Lucile" (Osgood); "Grandma's Attic Treasures" (Dutton); "The Decorative Sisters" (Randolph), and "The Boy's Mabinogion" (Scribner) are the recipients of this friendly appreciation of American book-making, particularly of the illustrative element.

TOWNSEND MACCOUN, Chicago, announces the publication of a new American edition of "The Works of Benjamin Franklin," with notes and a life of the author by Jared Sparks, in ten large octavo volumes. This edition will be issued simultaneously with an edition in London by Mr. B. F. Stevens, and will be uniform in every respect. The first volume will appear during February, and then a volume semi-monthly till completed. The edition will be limited and sold by subscription.

THE first publications of G. P. Putnam's Sons for 1882 will include several volumes postponed from the fall season of 1881, comprising the "First Book of Knowledge," by Prof. Fredk. Guthrie, a volume planned to give in clear and comprehensive shape the first information that is required by children concerning the nature and use of the common objects about them; "Suicide: Studies on its Philosophy, Causes, and Prevention," by Dr. James J. O'Dea; an essay on "Sensation and Pain," by Dr. C. Fayette Taylor; "Opium Smoking in America and China," by Dr. W. H. Kane, a careful study of the prevalence and spread of the vice, and of its immediate and remote effects, moral, physiological, and financial, upon the individual and the nation; Prof. Rhys Davids' "Lectures on the Origin and Growth of Religion as Illustrated by Buddhism," being the Hibbert Lectures for 1881; "The World's Witness to Jesus Christ; or, the Power of Christianity in Developing Modern Civilization," by the Rt. Rev. Jno. Williams, Bishop of Connecticut, being the first volume of the *Bedell Lectures*; an essay on the "Art of Voice Production," with special reference to the methods of correct breathing, by Prof. A. A. Pattou; a series entitled *Science Ladders*, edited by N. D'Anvers, author of "History of Art," etc. The plan of this series will be to teach the great laws of nature in language simple enough to be intelligible to every child who can read. While purely elementary, they aim at awakening the powers of observation and reasoning. The volumes in immediate preparation are, "Forms of Land and Water," "A Story of Early Exploration," "Vegetable Life," "Flowerless Plants," "Lowest Forms of Water Animals," and "Lowly Metal and Armor-Wearers." They will all be fully illustrated.

GENERAL MEREDITH READ is using his leisure in Paris in writing a Life of Gibbon, the historian.

CHATTO & WINDUS have in press a volume entitled "Studies of Books and Men," by L. Stevenson.

HURST & BLACKETT will issue this month "The Question of Cain," a new novel, in three volumes, by Mrs. Cashel Hoey.

THE Berlin Public Prosecutor, says the *London Academy*, "has formally withdrawn from

the criminal proceedings against Spielhagen for his novel 'Angelo,' which were instituted for the purpose of suppressing the sale of the book on the score of immorality. The matter had created a great deal of excitement in German literary circles, as this attack on Spielhagen was believed to be rather an ebullition of personal spite on the part of the Public Prosecutor than the outcome of zeal for the public good."

The two thousandth volume of Baron Tauchnitz's "Collection of British Authors," written by Mr. Henry Morley, was specially designed by the Baron as a memorial of the progress of his remarkable series. It is entitled "Of English Literature in the reign of Victoria, with a Glance at the Past." The volume is preceded by a very interesting introduction, occupying no less than forty pages, of "fac-similes of the signatures of authors in the Tauchnitz edition, photographed from their correspondence

and agreements with Baron Tauchnitz." The volume will be issued in this country by G. P. Putnam's Sons, and in London by Sampson, Low & Co.

B. F. STEVENS, London, has issued the account of the American meeting, at Exeter Hall, with reference to the death of President Garfield. The account is issued as a pamphlet and as a thin quarto volume. The latter is bound in white cloth, with a black-edged panel on the side inscribed: "In Memoriam James Abram Garfield. Born 19th November, 1831. Died 19th September, 1881." Of this a "limited number" has been printed on hand-made paper with rough edges. The address of the Archbishop of Canterbury, delivered the following evening at the Church of St. Martin-in-the-Field, is added, occupying twelve of the sixty pages, and a good photograph of President Garfield is the frontispiece.

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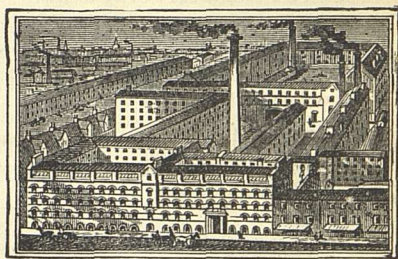
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